



July 25, 2022

MEMO ENDORSED

By ECF

The Honorable Katherine Polk Failla
United States District Court for the Southern District of New York
40 Foley Square, Room 2103
New York, New York 10007

Re: *Dinosaur Financial Group LLC et al. v. CUSIP Global Services et al.*, 22 Civ. 1860 (KPF) (“*Dinosaur*”); *Hildene Capital Management, LLC v. American Bankers Association et al.*, 22 Civ. 1929 (KPF) (“*Hildene*”)

Dear Judge Failla:

We represent the Plaintiffs in the above-referenced matters and write pursuant to the Court’s July 11, 2022 Order (*Dinosaur* Dkt. 65; *Hildene* Dkt. 51) to inform the Court of the result of our private discussions on the appointment of interim class counsel for the consolidated action. We are pleased to report that counsel have reached an agreement through private ordering and request that the Court appoint Wollmuth Maher & Deutsch LLP, Competition Law Partners PLLC and Kaplan Fox & Kilsheimer LLP to jointly serve as interim class counsel for the above-referenced consolidated matter.

We are prepared to submit a proposed order for your Honor’s approval or proceed otherwise as your Honor directs.

Respectfully submitted,

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The Court is in receipt of the above letter, filed in 22 Civ. 1860 (Dkt. #67) and 22 Civ. 1929 (Dkt. #53). The parties are hereby ORDERED to attend a telephonic conference on **August 1, 2022, at 2:00 p.m.** to discuss the potential appointment of interim class counsel and the substance of this letter. The parties are directed to call (888) 363-4749 and use access code 5123533 at the designated time.

The Clerk of Court is directed to also file this order in 22 Civ. 1929.

Dated: July 26, 2022
New York, New York

SO ORDERED.



HON. KATHERINE POLK FAILLA
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE